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**Project Working Group on Transport and Border Crossing (PWG-TBC)**

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**Progress report on the development of the SPECA PWG-TBC transport databases**

(Item 4.5 of the Agenda)

*Note by UNECE/UNESCAP*

1. The importance of transport as a driver of national competitiveness has increased dramatically over recent decades, due mostly to the increasingly complex demands by the international economy.
2. Collecting transport statistics from Central Asian Countries is difficult. On the basis of the requests made in various UNECE fora (WP6, ITC in 2009–2010), three seminars/workshops in the Caucasus and Central Asia were held in 2010–2012, to raise the awareness of those countries on the need for gathering data on transport and on the use of the Common Questionnaire with special focus on methodology and road accidents statistics. Information on the E-Censuses was also included in the agenda.
3. The first workshop was held in Almaty (Kazakhstan) in September 2010. Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan and Uzbekistan participated. The second one held in Baku (Azerbaijan) was an opportunity for Azeri and Russian statisticians to test the interface of the Web CoQ translated in Russian language for the first time. The last workshop held in November 2012 gathered together in Kiev (Ukraine) statisticians of Georgia, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Tajikistan and Ukraine for the same purpose. The methodology of data collection on road safety was also explained to the participants. The major role of statistics in road safety policies was underlined and illustrated with data from EECCA countries.
4. These workshops offered concrete examples of synergies of action between the three secretariats of UNECE, OECD-ITF and EUROSTAT. The Chair of the UNECE Working Party on Transport Statistics (WP6) also participated in the last workshop, which may be considered as the last of a series meant to achieve a coherent and comprehensive data system on transport statistics.

5. During its last annual session held in June 2013, WP6 invited the Inter Secretariat Working Group (IWG) to continue its assistance to further capacity-building activities, in particular in countries of Eastern Europe, Central Asia and South Caucasus.

6. It has to be reminded that the setting up of a special database on transport and border crossing activities for the SPECA countries has been recommended since the creation of the PWG-TBC as indicated in the original Terms of Reference. Availability of accurate data is indeed essential for planning infrastructure development and for securing future investments. To progress on this issue, it has been proposed to the SPECA members to provide basic information on key border crossing points by filling for their countries the Annex I attached to the present document. The border crossing points proposed were selected based on their location along the Asian Highway network. Such cross-border transport data seem nevertheless currently not readily available. They would however provide valuable input for future transport activities in the region.

**The Project Working Group may wish to**

- Endorse the report made by NiiTK during the session, which will be available later on SPECA website in Russian and English;
- Welcome further capacity building initiatives on transport statistics for the SPECA region;
- Confirm the opportunity of setting-up a dedicated transport database for the SPECA PWG-TBC;
- Agree on a template and on the frequency for providing data on transport and border crossing activities as well as where these data should be made available (e.g. website).

Name	COUNTRY	Freight			Passenger		Opening hours	Comments
		Traffic Intl (vehicles/year)	Traffic local (vehicles/year)	Containers (per year)	Traffic Intl (persons/year)	Traffic Local (persons/year)		
Zarang (Border of Iran)	Afghanistan							
Speenboldak (Border of Pakistan)	Afghanistan							
Torkham (Border of Pakistan)	Afghanistan							
Islam Qala (Border of Iran)	Afghanistan							
Tourghondi (Border of Turkmenistan)	Afghanistan							
Shirkan Bandar (Border of Tajikistan)	Afghanistan							
Hairatan (Border of Uzbekistan)	Afghanistan							
Astara (Border of Iran)	Azerbaijan							
Ordubad (Border of Armenia)	Azerbaijan							
Aghband (Border of Armenia)	Azerbaijan							
Sadarak (Border of Armenia)	Azerbaijan							
Uzuntala (Border of Armenia)	Azerbaijan							
Krasny Most - RedBridge (Border of Georgia)	Azerbaijan							
Samur (Border of Russia)	Azerbaijan							
ZhibekZholy (Border of Uzbekistan)	Kazakhstan							
Border of Turkmenistan (Zhanaozen)	Kazakhstan							
Border of Kyrgyzstan (Merke)	Kazakhstan							
Kordai (Border of Kyrgyzstan)	Kazakhstan							
Khorgos (Border of China)	Kazakhstan							
Tazhen (Border of Uzbekistan)	Kazakhstan							
Dostyk (Border of China)	Kazakhstan							
Kotaevka (Border of Russia)	Kazakhstan							
Bakhty (Border of China)	Kazakhstan							
Zhaisan (Border of Russia)	Kazakhstan							
KrasnyAul (Border of Russia)	Kazakhstan							
Border of Russia (Kamenka)	Kazakhstan							
Pogodaevo (Border of Russia)	Kazakhstan							
Pnirtyshskoe (Border of Russia)	Kazakhstan							
Kaerak (Border of Russia)	Kazakhstan							

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COUNTRY	Freight			Passenger		Opening	Comments
Afghanistan							
Albania							
Algeria							
Angola							
Antigua and Barbuda							
Argentina							
Armenia							
Australia							
Austria							
Azerbaijan							
Bahamas							
Bahrain							
Bangladesh							
Barbados							
Belarus							
Belgium							
Belize							
Benin							
Bermuda							
Bhutan							
Bolivia							
Bosnia and Herzegovina							
Brazil							
British Virgin Islands							
Bulgaria							
Burkina Faso							
Burundi							
Cambodia							
Cameroon							
Canada							
Cape Verde							
Cayman Islands							
Central African Republic							
Chad							
Chile							
China							
Cocos (Keeling) Islands							
Colombia							
Comoros							
Congo							
Congo (Kinshasa)							
Costa Rica							
Cote d'Ivoire							
Croatia							
Cuba							
Cyprus							
Czechia							
Dominica							
Dominican Republic							
Ecuador							
Egypt							
El Salvador							
Equatorial Guinea							
Eritrea							
Estonia							
Ethiopia							
Fiji							
Finland							
France							
French Polynesia							
Gabon							
Gambia							
Georgia							
Germany							
Ghana							
Gibraltar							
Greece							
Greenland							
Grenada							
Guadeloupe							
Guatemala							
Guinea							
Guinea-Bissau							
Haiti							
Honduras							
Hong Kong							
Hungary							
Iceland							
India							
Indonesia							
Iran							
Ireland							
Israel							
Italy							
Jamaica							
Japan							
Jordan							
Kazakhstan							
Kenya							
Kiribati							
Korea							
Kosovo							
Kuwait							
Kyrgyzstan							
Lao							
Latvia							
Lebanon							
Lesotho							
Liberia							
Liechtenstein							
Lithuania							
Luxembourg							
Madagascar							
Malawi							
Malaysia							
Maldives							
Mali							
Malta							
Marshall Islands							
Martinique							
Mauritania							
Mauritius							
Mexico							
Moldova							
Monaco							
Montenegro							
Morocco							
Mozambique							
Myanmar							
Namibia							
Nepal							
Netherlands							
New Caledonia							
New Zealand							
Nicaragua							
Niger							
Nigeria							
North Macedonia							
Norway							
Oman							
Pakistan							
Panama							
Papua New Guinea							
Paraguay							
Peru							
Philippines							
Pitcairn Islands							
Poland							
Portugal							
Puerto Rico							
Romania							
Russia							
Rwanda							
Saudi Arabia							
Senegal							
Serbia							
Seychelles							
Sierra Leone							
Singapore							
Slovakia							
Slovenia							
South Africa							
South Korea							
Spain							
Sri Lanka							
St. Kitts and Nevis							
St. Lucia							
St. Vincent and the Grenadines							
Sweden							
Switzerland							
Syria							
Taiwan							
Tajikistan							
Tanzania							
Togo							
Tonga							
Trinidad and Tobago							
Tunisia							
Turkey							
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Uganda							
Ukraine							
United Kingdom							
United States							
Uruguay							
Uzbekistan							
Venezuela							
Vietnam							
Yemen							
Zambia							
Zimbabwe							